

RAILROAD FROM EDMONTON NORTH TO PORTLAND CANAL

C. N. R. Applies to Dominion for
Charter for the New
Railroad

THROUGH PEACE RIVER

New Line Will Give Shorter Haul
Than Over G.T.P. to Prince
Rupert

The Canadian Northern Railway
has applied to the Dominion government
for a charter for a railway to
run from Edmonton to Bear river on
the Portland Canal.

This important piece of information
was received in the city today by an
official who is in close touch with the
heads of the company, and is authentic.

The idea of the Canadian Northern
in getting this charter is to give them
a shorter haul to tidewater than the
Grand Trunk Pacific has at present
to Prince Rupert. As soon as the
charter is granted, the company will
start the work of construction and
hope to have the line completed in
two year's time, or at the most, three
years.

If the C. N. R. should build direct
from Edmonton to the Portland Canal,
which lies some distance north of
Prince Rupert, the probabilities are
that a pass farther north than the
Yellowhead would be utilized, in which
case the Peace River country would
be tapped. This is what was expected
to happen when the Grand Trunk
Pacific was built. The large gold
discoveries which have recently been
made in the vicinity of Stewart on
the Portland Canal are probably re-
sponsible for the C. N. R.'s enter-
prise.

SKY RIDER HIT BY LIGHTNING

Aeroplane Set Afire and Falls, But
Aviator Luckily Was
Uninjured

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE

Aviator Erhman Was Making
Cross Country Flight When
Bolt Struck Machine

Paris, July 26.—While making a
cross country flight today Aviator Erhman
was struck by lightning and fell to the ground. The operator had a miraculous escape from death.

There has never been a more startling
aerial exhibition than that which
Erhman unwittingly afforded, and
those who witnessed it could hardly
believe their eyes when the aviator
emerged from the burning framework
none the worse for his experience.

Aeroplane in Flames

He was sailing along at a moderate
height when he got in the path of
the sky bolt. Instantly the aeroplane
was enveloped in flames, its canvas
wings shriveled up, and clinging to
the frame of his craft, Erhman came
down with a thud.

CAREFUL PLANS FOR SUICIDING

Tied Gun to Tree, Blindfolded
Himself, and Pulled the
Trigger

careful plans. On the 14th, while
Port Arthur, July 26.—Tying a shot
gun to a tree, attaching a string to the
trigger, blindfolding himself, and then
pulling the trigger, thus sending the
charge of shot into his breast, is how
Peter Kurts committed suicide in the
garden at the rear of his shack on a
homestead in Dorion township. The
body was found by neighbors who
suspected he was anxious to take his
own life. His age is 20. He was
unmarried and came here from
Duluth.

PREMIER BACK HOME

Denies Report That Finding of Royal
Commission will be Given to Press

Premier Sifton returned from Calgary
yesterday afternoon, registering at
the Alberta Hotel. When asked
by the Capital if the report of the
Royal Commission would be made
public as soon as received, the premier
stated that he did not know anything
about it. He also stated that the
dates for the bye-elections in Macleod
and Gleichen have not yet been de-
cided upon.

KIND DEED GETS HIM A FORTUNE

Macon, Ga., July 26.—Shortly be-
fore the Klondike gold boom, W. V.
Miller, a motorman of this city, met
J. F. Curley, a miner, stranded and
without funds. He took him in, fed
him and gave him money with which
to travel as far as Birmingham, Ala.
Was the last they ever heard of the
"bread cast upon the waters" until
yesterday, when he received word
that Curley had died in Dawson City
and left him a fortune estimated at
\$700,000.

MANY REQUESTS FOR FLOOR SPACE

Exhibition Association Receiving
Applications From Firms All
Over Canada

Things are taking on a very busy
appearance around the Exhibition
offices and applications for display
spaces are pouring in by every mail.
Among the firms that have signified
their intention of exhibiting are Par-
ker and White, Calgary, sanitary ap-
pliances; Beals, Hear and Beals, dairy
and stump pulling machinery; Er-
skine Cheese and Butter Co.; W. H.
Clark and Co., doors and sashes;
Ontario Wind Engine Co.; J. I. Case
and Co., London, Ont., farm machin-
ery; Alberta Metal Cylinders Co.; Na-
tional Manufacturing Co. and Empire
Co., cream separators; Douglas Co.,
house hold appliances; Singer Sewing
machine; American Seeding Machine
Co.; Ridgways Tens; Beatty Bros.
farm tools; The Garton Pedigree
Seed Co.; Stratford Manufacturing
Co., lawnmowers; McKenzie Bros.,
refrigerators; Kramer Rotary Co.,
harrowers; The Petrie Manufacturing
Co., cream separators; the Camrose
Tanning Co.

Located Under Grand Stand.

As the exhibition will not have a
manufacturing building erected this
year, these exhibits will be located
under the grand stand.

In addition to the above mentioned
firms, the Toileid Board of Trade
will have a general exhibit, and the
British Columbia Government will
send a display of fruit. The Coover
bar, Humberstone and Standard Coal
Companies will all have arches of
coal on the ground, while the exhibi-
tion board is spending \$300 on an
exhibit of grains and grasses.

Manager Harrison received word
this morning that C. E. Lewis, pro-
vincial inspector of weeds will be pre-
sent during the exhibition and will
give a demonstration and control of
the noxious weeds of the province.

FOUR B.C. TOWNS REPORTED DESTROYED BY BUSH FIRES

Nelson, B. C., July 26.—Develop-
ments from the fire burnt districts are
indefinite due to the uncertainty of
telegraph and telephones. Various un-
official reports reach us that the town
of Three Forks is totally destroyed
and the mountain peaks filled with
refugees.

Something of the same unconfirmed
reports received state that the thriving
town of Sandon is surrounded by
timber fires and doomed to destruction.

The towns of Baynes Lake and Ja-
fay in the Crow district are reported
to have been destroyed by a bush
blaze in that section. Government fire

PRAIRIE SCHOONERS START FOR THE NORTH

Party of Settlers Left This Morn-
ing for the Peace River
District

A picturesque cavalcade set out for
the Peace River country this morn-
ing and will take five weeks to make
the trip. The party consisted of four
men and one brave lady, and was
exceptionally well equipped for their
pioneering. Two large wagons with
canvas covers served to carry the
household supplies, while a smaller one
contained provisions for the trek. In
addition three fine horses and a pair
of sturdy oxen were hitched to the
rear of the wagons. A survey, at-
tached to the provision cart brought
up the rear.

MISSING REVIEW, IN POLICE COURT

Member of Local Militia Sum-
moned for Skipping
Parade

WAS GIVEN A WARNING

Allowed to Go This Time on Sus-
pended Sentence—Other
Cases

A case of a breach of the militia act
came up in the police court this morn-
ing when J. G. Armour was charged
with neglecting to turn out for parade
on July 13th and 15th, when orders
to do so by the colonel-regiment, on
instructions from Capt. Carpenter.

Acting Magistrate Byers released
him on suspended sentence, warning
him that the militia act was strong on
the point; and that he must obey orders
in future.

Armour stated that he was secretary
of the football league and that on the
date in question he had to attend meet-
ings.

Damaged the Cell

Five drunks were assessed \$4 and
costs or ten days. One of these, T. W.
Killops, is of a mischievous tem-
perament and while in a cell spent his
time in picking the mortar from be-
tween the bricks with a pocket knife.
He was caught in the act by one of
the policemen and was again arraigned
on charge of doing willful damage. He
was ordered to pay \$2 damages be-
sides another fine of \$2 and costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson will be
given a hearing this afternoon on
charge of creating a disturbance in
their house on Fourth street near the
C.N.R. tracks.

JOHNSON SAYS POLICE ARE OUT TO LAND HIM

Describes Arrest for Speeding His
Auto in New York as
Outrage

New York, July 26.—Jack Johnson,
the heavyweight champion, was ar-
rested yesterday afternoon charged
with driving his big racer recklessly.
Johnson characterized his arrest as an
outrage and said that he had been in-
formed on good authority that the bi-
cycle police all over the city had been
temporarily saved the afternoon. These
mines are only five miles from Nelson.
all is in semi-darkness with smoke
in Nelson and for fifty miles around
even at mid-day. The heat is oppres-
sive with the temperature registering
71 degrees at one o'clock in the morn-
ing.

Edward Lucas, the missing miner
of the Lucky Jim fire disaster, was
found dead today at the mouth of
No. 4 shaft.

W. L. KING IS HOPEFUL

Thinks Grand Trunk Strike Will
End Soon by Means of
Arbitration

NO SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

Such a Thing Would Be Impos-
sible According to the
Act

MANY TOWNS AFFECTED

Conventions and Reunions at
Belleville Will Suffer—Trains
Delayed at Toronto

Ottawa, July 26.—The Minister of
Labor, Hon. W. L. King, is hopeful
that the strike of the G.T.P. conduc-
tors and trainmen will be of short
duration, because of the fact that
both parties have suggested arbitra-
tion.

Mr. Hays had suggested that an
arbitration board should be framed
with experts upon it and the men
suggest that the board should be com-
posed of men who have had experi-
ence in settling recent railway dis-
putes in the United States, but neither
suggestion was agreeable to both.
Mr. King, however, is of the opinion
that arbitration, if properly arranged,
can be brought about, and there then
ought to be a possibility of coming
to an arrangement which would bring
the strike to an end.

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Freight Handlers Laid Off

Toronto, July 26.—All freight han-
dlers in the employ of the company
are laid off pending a settlement of
the strike, thus adding to the hun-
dreds of employees already idle.

Manned By Dispatchers.

Barrie, July 26.—About 250 conduc-
tors and trainmen of the Northern
division here went out in obedience
to the strike order, but passenger
trains were run as usual this morning,
being handled by dispatchers, yard
masters and other employees.

Belleville Despondent.

Belleville, July 26.—The city is de-
pendent on the G.T.P. strike. The
city is in a state of despondency to-
day, and the C.T.R. is the only
line connecting with this city. An
Old Boys' Reunion is dated for the
end of the week, and the city is being
deserted, but it is doubtful if money
will attempt the trip under the cir-
cumstances. Two hundred men are
idle.

Montreal, July 26.—At the end of
the first day of the Grand Trunk
trainmen and conductors' strike, both
sides express themselves as satisfied.

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FIFTEEN MINUTE SERVICE TO 'SCONA

And Cars Every Six Minutes On
Jasper Avenue—Street Rail-
way Changes

In the very near future the car
service between Edmonton and
Strathcona is going to be improved
to a great extent. A fifteen minute
service being put on during the time
of day when this line carries the most
traffic, namely early in the morning
and at train time in the afternoon.
This change of course cannot be af-
fected until all the new cars have ar-
rived and a few of the older ones re-
paired. The commissioners have re-
ceived notice that two more cars that
were ordered from the Ottawa Car
Company will leave there on July
25th. There will then be only two
more to be delivered.

The service in other parts of the
city the Hat franchise will be handed
specially on Jasper avenue, where there
will be a six-minute service and on
Synagogue avenue where there will be
a quicker time schedule.

EIGHTY ENTRIES FOR CALGARY RIFLE SHOOT

Tenth Annual Competition Begins
Today at Riverside
Ranges

Calgary July 26.—The tenth annual
Alberta Provincial Rifle Association
shoot commences today on the River-
side ranges, over 80 competitors have
entered and a most successful shoot
is expected. It will last until Friday
evening next.

WALSH OR SHORT FOR JUDGESHIP?

They Are Spoken of Most for
the Supreme Court
Vacancy

McKINNON IS MENTIONED

He May Receive the Appointment
to the District
Court

Rumor is still busy in the city re-
garding the vacant judgeship caused
by the cabinet appointments follow-
ing the split in the legislature and
the retirement of Premier Rutherford.
D. H. McKinnon, of McKinnon
and Cogswell, formerly of Nova
Scotia and Dawson, is generally con-
sidered to be the next district judge
at Lethbridge, replacing Judge Win-
ter, who will be transferred to Cal-
gary.

For the supreme court vacancy the
favorites are W. L. Walsh, K.C., and
James Short, K.C., while it is gen-
erally thought that Judge Scott will
take the chief justiceship.

All this is rumor, however, and it
is not likely that any appointments
will be made until after the August
recess, but by that time the press of
work will be such that the new ap-
pointments will have to be made at
once.

Another political rumor is that John
W. Wood, M.L.A. for Cardston, is
to resign shortly. Mr. Wood has
practically left Alberta and although
he still has some holdings there he
is credited with having transferred
most of his investments to Utah and
Nevada.

FIGHT IN VIEW FOR BLACK JACK

London, July 26.—Sporting weekly
asserts to-day that it has authority
to state that Jack Johnson, the col-
ored heavy weight champion will fight
either Tommy Burns or Sam Lang-
ford in London in September under
the auspices of Hugh McIntosh, the
Australian promoter.

C. P. R. WILL NOT BUILD EAST OF LETHBRIDGE

In answer to a communication for-
warded to Vice-President William
White, of the C. P. R., notifying him
that the farmers east of Lethbridge
would be willing to give the C. P. R.
a free right of way if it would
agree to complete its Lethbridge-
Weyburn branch this year, Vice-Pres-
ident Whyte has replied to President
Nourse of the Lethbridge Board of
Trade: "Regret I am not favorably
disposed to recommending building
east from Lethbridge this year."

SASKATOON WILL LIKELY GET THE HAT'S FRANCHISE

(Special to the Capital)

Calgary, July 26.—President Ek-
strom, high muckamuk of the Twilight
League, recalled the home of the com-
ing champions last night, arriving in
Calgary from Lethbridge to attend the
meeting of the league which will be
held here today.

The meeting is called to discuss
the withdrawal of Medicine Hat from
the league and decide upon a suc-
cessor. Saskatoon being willing
and anxious to take upon its shoulders
the burden, and the joys of a
professional baseball team, it is prob-
able the alt franchise will be handed
to the Saskatoon town.

"Come and take charge, we're out
of it." This was all contained in the

SYSTEM OF RECORDING VITAL STATISTICS POOR

OIL STEAMER BURNS
More Than One Million Gallons of
Oil in Flames

Copenhagen, July 26.—The German
steamship "Standard," with more than
one million gallons of oil on board
caught fire at her moorings yesterday
and was totally destroyed. The
"Standard" had recently arrived from
Philadelphia, and the oil was shipped
by the Standard Oil Co.

GET SPECIALIST TO STUDY CLAYS

Board of Trade Bringing Cornell
Professor to Examine Clays
in This District

Prof. Edward Orton, professor of
Ceramics at the University of Cornell
will be in Edmonton about August 1st.
Prof. Orton is coming here at the re-
quest of the Edmonton Board of
Trade. He is a specialist on clay and
clay products, and is generally consid-
ered to be the highest authority on
the subject on this continent. The
Board of Trade have asked Prof. Orton
to come here to make an investiga-
tion of the clays in this district and
make a report as to the possibilities of
it and as to whether the best results
are now being obtained. A week will
be spent in looking over the formation
in this district and in the gathering
of samples which will be sent to the
laboratory at Cornell, where Prof.
Orton will make exhaustive tests and
experiments. Parties having clay prop-
erty which they think has some eco-
nomic value will do well to get in
touch with the Board of Trade so
that the samples may be examined by
Prof. Orton.

BURGLAR KILLED CHICAGO MAGNATE

President of the C. I. and L.
Railway Shot by a
Burglar

Chicago, Ill., July 26.—Ira G. Rawn,
President of the Chicago Indianapolis
and Louisville Railway, was shot
through the heart and instantly killed
at 1:30 o'clock this morning by a
burglar who entered his summer
home at Winnetka, a suburb 15 miles
north of Chicago.

The burglar forced open the basement
door and was heard prowling
around the first floor by Mr. Rawn,
who went downstairs to investigate.
Members of his family heard him
say: "What do you want here?" and
a shot was fired immediately after-
wards.

When they hurried to the first floor,
Mr. Rawn was lying dead at the foot
of the stairs with a bullet through
his heart. The murderer escaped.

OTTAWA CRICKETERS

Philadelphia, Pa., July 26.—In the
opening day's play here between the
Ottawa and Philadelphia cricket clubs,
the Canadians scored 181 runs in their
first innings and the home eleven had
28 with seven wickets down when
stumps were drawn for the day.

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turned and where work is now going
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Impossible, Under Present Meth-
od, to Keep a Complete
Record

DEATHS ARE UNREPORTED

Cause of Death Not Given, so Re-
quest From Dominion Goes
Unanswered

On account of the fact that the
records of mortality in this city are
kept in an unsatisfactory and incom-
plete way, the request of the Con-
servative Commission, at Ottawa, of
which the Hon. Clifford Stotts, Min-
ister of Interior is president, for infor-
mation relative to the mortality
through typhoid in Edmonton from
1900 to 1909, inclusive, cannot be sup-
plied in a proper manner. The con-
servative commission are engaged in
the work of compiling statistics to
show the exact rate of mortality
through this disease in the cities of
Canada.

Dr. Whitelaw, medical health officer,
to whom the request was sent, is at
a loss to know how he can supply the
information required. The registry
office here which has charge of the
death statistics is a record of the
deaths throughout the province from
all diseases but in many cases the di-
rect cause of death is unknown.

In some cases, also there has been
no medical attention given and in
these instances especially the cause of
death is hard to record.

Dr. Whitelaw has spoken to the
commissioners on the matter and ex-
plained the necessity of an up-to-date
system of record. He suggests that
besides the doctors and other chan-
nels through which information is se-
cured that the undertakers also keep
track of the causes and particulars of
death, and also that a record be kept
in the medical health office.

It is not exactly the fault of the
official who has charge of the books,
but it is the fault of the system, which
must be improved before proper re-
turns can be made.

The birth and marriage records are
kept by the same official, and a glance
through it shows that the returns are
more complete. Of course, many
births, marriages and deaths, are ne-
ver recorded at all, although neglect of
this duty is an indictable offence.
The registrar, however, is not responsible
for that.

WORK STARTED ON ALBERTA CENTRAL

First Sod Turned Near Red Deer
on West Side of C.
and E.

Calgary, July 26.—Work was started
on Monday on the construction of
the Alberta Central Railway with
twenty-five teams and a large force
of men, was the report given to-day
by Mr. W. Bottrell, who returned
from a few days' visit to Red Deer.
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Markets

Edmonton Prices.

Practically no wheat is coming in. Oats are selling at 30 cents per bushel.

Hay Prices the Same

The hay market is fairly firm while the prices are the same as last week. Slough hay is worth from \$10 to \$12; upland sells for \$12 to \$14, while the best timothy brings \$15 to \$18. Green feed is \$9 a ton.

Egg Market

Eggs are selling at 22c to 25c per dozen. Strictly fresh eggs retail at 25c per doz. in Edmonton stores today.

Butter Market

The butter market is firm, with very little change over a week ago. Butter is selling at 17c to 25c per lb. The retail prices in the stores is also 25c per lb.

PRODUCE MARKET Wholesale Prices

Flour \$3.25
Flour, per 100-lb. sack \$3.15
Shorts, per ton 20.00
Bran, per ton 10.00
Rolled oats, 80-lb. sack 2.20

Local Retail Prices

Flour \$3.25
Oats, per cwt. 1.25
Oat chop 1.25
Barley chop, per cwt. 1.30

Seed Prices

Potter & Marshall, seed merchants, Edmonton, quote the following prices:

Fall wheat per bushel \$1.40 to \$1.50
Timothy seed 6.50 to 8.00
Alfalfa, ditto 23.00 to 30.00
Flaxseed, ditto, for seed 2.50 to 2.60
Hamilton & Son, Edmonton, quote the following prices:

Fall seed wheat, per bu. \$3.00
Timothy seed, per cwt. 8.00
Alfalfa seed, per cwt. 28.00
Spring rye, per bushel 1.25

Live Stock

Hogs 8 1/2c
Steers 3 to 4 1/2c
Cows 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c
Heifers 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c
Calves 4 to 4 1/2c
Sheep 5 1/2 to 6
Lambs 6 to 7
Heavy veal, 200 to 300 lbs. 3 1/2 to 4

THE GRIFFIN PRICES

We will pay the following prices from July 18th to July 23rd, weighed

off cars at Edmonton:

Hogs

Choice quality hogs, 150 to 250 pounds 8 1/2 to 9
Roughs and heavies 6 1/2 to 7 1/2
You should buy them at least \$1.50 under choice hogs.

Cattle

Good fat steers, 1200 lb. and up 4 1/2 to 4 3/4
Good fat steers, 1000 lb. to 1200 lbs. 3 1/2 to 3 3/4
Good fat steers, 900 lb. to 1000 lbs. 2 1/2 to 3 1/4
Extra good fat heifers, 1050 and up 3 to 3 1/2
Medium quality fat heifers, 1050 lbs. to 900 lbs. 2 1/2 to 3 1/4
Extra good fat cows, 1000 lbs. and up 2 1/2 to 3 1/4
Medium quality fat cows, 900 lbs. and up 2 1/2 to 2 3/4
Bulls and stags 2 to 2 1/2
Light weight, poor, chin cattle not desirable. Poor, thin grass cattle not wanted.

Advise not to ship any poor, thin, grass cattle.

Calves

Good calves, 125 to 20 lbs. 4 1/2 to 5 1/2
Good calves, 200 to 300 lbs. 3 1/2 to 4
Good demand for good veal calves.

Sheep

Choice killing sheep 5 1/2 to 6

Lambs

Choice killing lambs 6 1/2 to 7

Billing—Bill your cars to J. Y. Griffin & Co., Ltd., Edmonton.

Yours respectfully,

J. Y. GRIFFIN & CO., Ltd.
P. A. McPhee, Stock Buyer.
Phone, Day 1141. Be sure and ask for Live Stock Dept.
Medium quality fat heifers, Night phone 1142.

CALGARY MARKETS

Prices paid to producers—

Steers 4 1/2 to 5
Sheep 6 to 6 1/2
Hogs 8 1/2 to 9 1/2

Dressed Meat

Beef 6 1/2 to 8
Chicken 8
Geese 15
Ducks 22
Fowl 17

Retail Prices

Butter, dairy, No. 1 25
Butter, creamery 30
Eggs, new laid 35

Potatoes

B. C. (new) 8 lbs. 25
B. C., per bush \$1.75

Wheat

These are prices paid by elevator companies to farmers:
Red (winter)90
Spring90
Oats25
Flax \$1.00

WINNIPEG LIVE STOCK

(Furnished by Rice & Whaley)
Last week's receipts totalled 3300 cattle, 2000 hogs, 400 sheep and 550 calves. Included in the cattle receipts were about 1000 head direct for export, being about equally divided between Gordon, Ironsides & Fares Co. and P. Burns.

There were around 45 cars of western range cattle on sale and while prices were from 25 to 30 cents lower than last week before the trade was fairly active and all sold in good season. The bulk of the range cattle are coming in fair flesh for this time of the year.

The export kind sold from 5.00 to 5.85 fed and watered. Best butcher steers and heifers sold from 5.00 to 5.60 and cows from 4 to 4.25.

The native cattle have not been so numerous this week, yet prices show that the same take off as was noted on the westerns. The bulk of the native cattle were common. The best cows and heifers sold from 3.75 to 4.25. We quote prices as follows fed and watered:

Best export steers 5.75 to 5.90
Good to fair shipping and export steers 5.25 to 5.50
Best butcher steers and heifers 4.60 to 4.90
Fair to good steers and heifers 3.25 to 3.75
Common steers and heifers 2.75 to 3.25
Best fat cows 4.75 to 4.25
Fair to good cows 3.75 to 3.50
Common cows 2.00 to 2.75
Best bulls 4.00 to 4.60
Common bulls 2.50 to 3.25
Good to best feeding steers 3.75 to 4.50
1000 lbs and up 4.00 to 4.25
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1000 to 1000 lbs. 3.75 to 4.50
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs 3.40 to 3.65
Light stockers 3.00 to 3.25

Hogs sold on a basis of 975 with a cut on the roughs and stags. Pickers claim hogs are too high and they are quoting a 9.00 to 9.25 market for next week.

Sheep and lambs are at least 50 cents per hundred lower. Heavy sheep are almost unsaleable. Best heavy weight sheep are selling from 5 to 6.00, best lambs 7.00 to 8.50 and best veals from 4.50 to \$5.25.

SOUTH AFRICA'S GIFT TO ROYALTY

Diamonds Cut From Famous Cullinan Stone Presented to Queen Mary

London, July 20.—The gift which Sir Richard Solomon, high commissioner of the Union of South Africa, has presented to the Queen in commemoration of the union of South African Colonies consists of six diamonds, mounted as ornaments, and cut from the famous Cullinan stone—which was found early in 1905 in the Premier diamond mine near Pretoria.

"I am deeply touched by the generous wish of the government and people of the Union of South Africa to present to me these beautiful diamonds in memory of the inauguration of the Union. I gratefully accept the gift for myself and for those who come after me as an addition to the crown jewels."

The diamonds will not only be a lasting proof of the unique mineral resources of South Africa, but a cherished token of affection evinced towards me by its people.

First Public Message

"My only regret is that circumstances, alas, have made it impossible for me to receive the offering in South Africa itself during that visit to which I have looked forward with keen interest and pleasure."

This is the first public message sent by the Queen.

The ornaments were mounted by a Regent street jeweller, according to designs approved by the Queen. The two largest diamonds, which are of matchless quality, one weighing ninety-two carats, and the other sixty-two carats, have been mounted as a pendant; three averaging about ten carats each have been mounted as a small pendant, and the sixth diamond as a ring.

FRENCH DEFEAT MOORS

Paris, July 19.—Further details of the fighting between the French troops and Moors on the Guluja river shows that on July 12th a strong body of Ben Huguia tribesmen attacked the French. The tribesmen were forced to retreat. They left 53 dead on the field. The French had eleven killed and 43 wounded.

TO-DAY'S WHEAT MARKET.

Winnipeg, July 20.—To-day's prices are as follows:
Wheat: No. 1 Northern (15 1/4); No. 2, 12 1/4; No. 3, 10 1/2;
Flax: 41 1/4
Flax: 22 1/2
Flax: 11 1/2
Dec. 10 1/2
Case: July 41 1/2; Oct. 41 1/2; Dec. 10 1/2
Flax: Oct. 20 1/2

PROPOSED GAELIC SOCIETY

On Thursday, 21st inst., at 8 p.m. a meeting will be held in the Mechanics' Hall, Third Street, for the purpose of promoting a Gaelic Society in the City of Edmonton. This society will have for its main object the perpetuation of the Gaelic language, and every one interested is earnestly invited to attend. Mr. McKinnon, of the firm of McKinnon & Cogswell, barristers, will occupy the chair.

UNITED STATES TOWN WIPE OUT BY FLAMES

Forest Fires Sweep the District and the Town Was Destroyed

Spokane, Wash., July 20.—The town of Ryan on the Columbia river, 52 miles south of the Canadian boundary, is reported to have been wiped out by a forest fire. Fire seen last night covered approximately the whole territory from Rosburgh to Marcus along the west side of Columbia river and across Ryan on the east side of the river tract fifteen miles long and seven miles wide. Millions of feet of timber are reported destroyed.

Why Not?

"Yes," said the man in the mackintosh, "I once paid to see a professional rain maker perform."

"Where?" queried the man who had his feet on the table.

"Out in Arizona. It took place in a baseball park, and the admission was 25 cents. There was a big crowd, too."

"Did he make it rain?" asked the man with the green goggles.

"He did not."

"Did you get your money back?"

"No; he gave us dry weather checks."—Chicago Tribune.

It's easy for a man to do things if given a chance, but the world upholds the man who makes his own chance.



That Splitting Headache

"NA-DRU-CO" Headache Waters

Give quick, sure relief, and we guarantee they contain nothing harmful to the heart or nervous system. 25c a box, at all drug stores. National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Montreal.

415 ACCIDENTS TO WORKING MEN

Labor Department Issues Statistics for June—168 Were Killed

Ottawa, July 20.—Industrial accidents which occurred to 415 individual work people in Canada during the month of June, 1910, were reported to the department of labor. Of these 168 were fatal and 227 resulted in severe injuries. In addition one fatality is reported having taken place prior to the beginning of the month, information not having been received by the department.

A Boy Again.

Freddie—"Why was your father afraid you'd hurt yourself with the fire crackers?"

Little Johnnie—"I guess that was the only excuse he could make for shooting them all off himself."

A Small Boy's Idea of Paradise.

When I go up to Heaven
And join the Angel Bands,
Geel! hope 'at no one there
'll say, "Go wash those hands!"
Lippincott's Magazine

Solved.

"I have it, girls," exclaimed the lady with the sharp nose and the cold eyes, rising in the suffrage meeting. "I have a plan that will show the men we are in earnest in our fight for the ballot."

"Let us resolve that we will not marry them unless they give us the vote," cries a militant sister.

"Oo!" exclaims the sharp-nosed one. "I say let us declare that if they do not give us the ballot we will marry them!"—Chicago Post.

Very Much Surprised.

When polishing the finger nails ran across, not up and down. Dust the hands with orris powder for excessive perspiration.

The umbrella thief believes in laying up something for a rainy day. Perhaps more men would be honest if they were not ashamed of being poor.

THE RETORT SARCASTIC

A middle-aged lady who is interested in the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals happened in one of the ferry-boats that keep the river in motion between this city and Camden the other morning, and when she saw a South Jerseyman drive aboard with a horse so unmercifully narrow and thin that it didn't even make a shadow on the deck, the good woman's tender sympathies prompted her to immediate action.

Pushing her way through the crowd to the decrepit rig, she stepped up to the emaciated animal, from every nook of view, and then, turning to the owner, who had clambered out of the wagon, and propped himself against the engine room, said:

"You ought to be ashamed of yourself for driving a poor horse like that; it should be at home and in the stable."

"What is the matter with her, lady?" was the easy response of the owner, who did not seem a whole lot perturbed.

"What is the matter with her?" demanded the S. P. C. A. lady with increasing warmth of tone. "Can't you see how skinny she is? She looks half starved."

"The boss is all right, lady," calmly rejoined the South Jerseyman, as a sweet smile floated through his scant crop of whiskers. "You see, she got up so late this mornin' that she didn't hev time to put on her rats, pads and extenders, or she would hev been as purty an' plump as her next one!"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Waiver—Did you order beef a la mode, sir?

Dinner (impatiently)—I did. What's the matter? Waiting for the style to change?—Boston Transcript.

"You look surprised, Mrs. Mangle; what's the matter?"

"Why, my son Tom came in just now full of an aviary meet he had seen. He told me some news of the flights in the air that were absolutely incredible, and so surprised me as to leave me almost in a state of putrefaction."—Baltimore American.

The Development

of the Natural Resources of the Pembina River District will build up a City.

ENTWISTLE is the commercial centre, and the growth of this little town is bound to be rapid.

If you are speculating in Alberta Real Estate you cannot do better than acquire lots in Entwistle.

Agriculture, Quarrying, Coal Mining and Lumbering are guarantees that property in Entwistle will be in great demand.

The C. N. R. Steel will reach the Pembina River at Entwistle this fall, furnishing the second transcontinental railroad.

There are openings in all lines of trade for hustlers. 200 lots at \$75.00 each in the incorporated town are being offered by the

WESTERN REALTY COMPANY, LIMITED

PHONE 1342

257 Jasper Avenue East

W. L. KING IS HOPEFUL

(Continued from Page 1.)

The company has succeeded in keeping its through passenger trains moving on time, such delays as have occurred not being unusual, and a good many of the locals have made the daily trip without accident, manned by crews taken from the working forces in other departments. The suburban service out of Montreal has been cancelled. In most of these cases the tracks of the Canadian Pacific parallel those of the Grand Trunk, so that the suburban lines have not been greatly inconvenienced. No attempts have been made to move freight off of Montreal.

Didn't Expect Complete Tie-Up.

On behalf of the strikers it is claimed by Vice-President Murdoch, of the Trainmen's Union, that they never expected to be able to tie up the passenger service, and the tying up of the freight trains and the being moved by the freight trains, he says, is perfectly satisfactory.

Vice-President Fitzhugh, of the Grand Trunk, states that the company will make no effort to move freight until it has its passenger business well in hand. When the mail and passenger trains are being moved without friction the freight business will be taken up.

"This is not going to be a strike of a day or two," said Mr. Fitzhugh. "The company went into it knowing that it was facing and is determined to see it through to the end. We cannot afford to lose so far the only attempt made affecting a settlement has been the offer of the Minister of Labor to do anything he could to bring about peace by means of arbitration which he suggests should be binding on both parties."

No Disorder at Montreal.

There has not been the slightest attempt at disorder so far as this centre is concerned. The freight yards are quiet and only travellers are allowed to enter Bonaventure station. The shops at Point St. Charles have been closed all day and in consequence there has been considerable grumbling among those who have been temporarily thrown out of work, it being claimed that the company should not have penalized the shops because the trainmen and conductors saw fit to strike.

Vice-President Fitzhugh made the following statement tonight: "We are going to see this thing through. It is not going to be a two days' strike and then quit. We know what we were facing and we shall face it. There is every indication that we can get the men and we shall get them as fast as we can. It will, of course, take some time to get everything working smoothly, but we shall work along towards that end, and we expect to reorganize the system without undue delay or inconvenience."

Strikers Places to be Filled

"So far as the present conditions are concerned, we are running our through trains without delay as well as the more important local trains. We shall fill our ranks as opportunity offers, and leave the strikers to defend their own affairs. They have left our service and our business is to fill their places as fast as we can get the men. I feel pleased with the way in which things have gone today. Our first duty was to see that the public was not inconvenienced, and I think that the transportation men have handled the business very well. All our through and local trains have gone ahead and there was no inconvenience to the public with the exception of the cancellation of suburban traffic. Our more important trains have all gone out fairly well in time and what is true of Montreal is true of all the rest of the system, from Chicago to Portland, as well as over the Central Vermont. General passenger traffic has not been interrupted and the trains are running practically on time."

May Lay Off More

"The practice all through has been to have some of the new men on trains with other men who know the road, and in this way it will not take long to get things straightened out. The shops have been closed all over the system and the company is concentrating all its efforts to the maintenance of trains. All the men who are competent for traffic will be put to work in that way, and the rest will have to be laid off as the result of the strike."

The strike has already affected other business concerns in Ottawa. At Booth's lumber mills two thousand men have been laid off, involving a pay roll of \$5,000 per day. This is on account of the impossibility of moving the traffic in the yards.

Situation in Ontario

Toronto, July 19.—Word from all over Ontario this morning is to the effect that the Grand Trunk Railway passenger trains are moving slowly, but the freight is tied up tight. Thousands of men have been thrown out of work, but no disturbances are reported. Two thousand men are idle at Stratford, 1,500 being employees in

the car shops, 200 in the roundhouse. At New Toronto, a terminal point, 400 men are idle and 65 engines are standing on the siding. At Barrie 100 men are out and it is estimated 1,000 are affected on that division. At Ottawa, Booth's lumber mills have shut down, throwing out 2,000 men. At Niagara Falls, 200 are out. In Toronto the situation is about the same, no freight moving and about half the regular number of passenger trains are running, a few hours late.

Bring in Strike Breakers

Boston, Mass., July 20.—Strike breakers continue to pour into New England today to take the places of the conductors and trainmen on the Grand Trunk and Vermont Central Railroad, now out on strike for higher wages. The strike breakers began to arrive in small numbers yesterday and late last night they came by carloads. Today they were distributed throughout the territory operated by these roads in New England, preparatory to manning trains.

Ottawa, July 20.—Two thousand

men employed at the Booth lumber mills at Chaudiere are thrown out of work as the result of the closing down of the mills due to the strike of the Grand Trunk conductors and trainmen. Lumber at the mills was moved by the Grand Trunk every night, but this could not be done last night and the mills are congested with upwards of a million feet of lumber. J. R. Booth says the mills will be closed until the strike is over.

Montreal, July 20.—Only suburban trains were cancelled yesterday on the Grand Trunk. All other passenger trains are running on time.

Tried to Wreck Pay Car

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Won't Take Back Strikers

Portland, Me., July 20.—Trainmaster J. J. Connolly of the Portland and Montreal division of the Grand Trunk said last night that he had been authorized to say that none of the strikers should be taken back at their former status.

"If they come back at all they must come as new men," he said, "This means that the older men will be barred from provisions of the pension arrangements."

THE SPIRIT OF FUN ABROAD.

It will be a Midsummer Night's Dream the Kermesse to be held in Separate School Grounds, Fourth Street, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. It will be a summer carnival of music, play lights and music, merriment. The Citizen's Band has been engaged to play for the Kermesse, and twice each night in the open air a chorus of over forty voices will sing familiar French songs. While here, there and everywhere through the grounds picturesque groups in foreign dress will enliven the midsummer panorama.

The Trail—the old Calgary-Edmonton Trail—will have amusement and mystery tents around each bend. Among these is a woodland theatre where Mr. William Vyle, the Comedian of the West, and Mr. Harry Wilkins will give some of their most diverting sketches; while bright musical numbers will be rendered by Mr. Barford, Dr. Harwood, Miss Plunkin, All Saints' Quartette, Madame Gagner, Mr. Nash, Miss Jean Meane, The Masters' Quartette, and Mr. P. K. MacGregor, the latest acquisition to Edmonton's musical coteries, deliciously entertaining in songs by Harry Lander, sung in Highland costume.

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CHANGES IN FORESTERS.

Will Abolish Position of Grand

Toronto, Ont., July 19.—Dr. M. H. Matheson, supreme physician of the Mill pond Foresters, has been elected Grand Treasurer to succeed Thomas Walls. The appointment is only temporary, as the intention is to abolish the office at the next meeting of the order, and the next meeting will be the 20th of the month. The "Vote" will then be merged with that of the Supreme Secretary, held by Mr. Matheson.

CAMBRIDGE MAN SUICIDES IN N. Y.

Left Photograph of Himself With Instructions to the Police What to Do

New York, July 20.—Arthur Hall, of London, a Cambridge man and a member of the Eccentric Club, London, was found in a lonely part of Colonial Park to-day with a bullet wound in his mouth. He died before the hospital was reached. A revolver lay nearby.

A photograph of Hall was found in his pocket on the back of which was written: "See photo on other side; communicate with my solicitor, N. H. Aaron, 64 Morgate Street, London, England, and my friend A. B. Mendelsohn, in care of Mr. G. G. Morgate Street, London, England."

\$200,000 DAMAGE DONE BY KENTUCKY CLOUDBURST

Henderson, Ky., July 19.—Reports reaching here today from Henderson, Union and Webster counties, indicate that damage approximating \$200,000 was done by a cloudburst last night. It is estimated that fifty thousand acres of pooled tobacco in Henderson alone have been destroyed and one plantation of 200 acres is a total loss. All streams are out of their banks, and many bridges have been carried away. It has rained nearly every day for the past three weeks and last night's cloudburst continued from 10 o'clock until daybreak.

WINS TEN THOUSAND

Newfoundland Man Coved Twenty-Five Thousand Miles in Dog Cart

Los Angeles, July 20.—William Brown of St. John's, N. F., arrived today in a cart drawn by four dogs, saying that his arrival completed a 25,000 mile journey in his unusual vehicle, thereby winning a wager of \$10,000, as the result of the discussion among members of the National Sporting Club of Newfoundland. Brown's money was put up in 1906, to be paid to him, provided that after leaving St. John's without money, he travelled a distance equal to the circumference of the earth within seven years. After travelling through the Eastern States, he says he took a steamer to Europe having obtained the money for his passage by selling pictures of his outfit. He travelled through Ireland and England as well as the continent.

SUFFRAGETTES TRAIN FOR FIGHT

Take Up Athletics So As to Be Able to Defeat the Police

London, July 20.—A woman's athletic society is being organized in connection with the Women's Freedom League, the chief organization of the militant suffragettes, in order that the women may learn the art of fighting and wrestling and thus make their arrests in the future the matter of considerable physical display.

Up until the present the arrest of suffragettes has been one of London's chief out-door diversions, but judging from the conditions which are being made for the future the bobbies will have their hands more than full in handling the women. Mrs. Garrud, a jiu jitsu expert, has been engaged by the organization to teach that difficult art.

"The ladies under my charge will use the Japanese method of dealing with policemen and with rude men who interrupt the meetings," said Mrs. Garrud. "They are tired of being heckled by a lot of brainless men and arrested by a lot of legal puppets, as our police are. We are going to use force in earnest in the future. If some of those big brutes of policemen arrest it won't be our fault for warning has now been given."

Miss Kelly, who gained considerable notoriety as a "hunger striker" in various jails, will also have charge of a branch of the athletic branch. Miss Kelly is a tall athletic young woman with broad shoulders and muscles that form in knots upon her arms like the muscles of a prize fighter.

Mrs. Garrud is only five feet tall, but it is her boast that she can throw a hulking six-foot policeman over her shoulder because she has done it many times in the past.

From now on the war for "votes for women" will go on with renewed vigor.

The good may die young, but have you ever noticed how long a worthless man manages to hang on?

EMBEZZLER OF \$100,000 CAUGHT

Was Betrayed by Woman Who Was Going to See Him

Philadelphia Police Did Not Know of Arrest Until They Saw It in Papers

WAS CAPTURED CLEVERLY

Philadelphia, July 20.—Eldredge, the police of several cities and private detectives for more than two months, J. Howard Lowery, alias James Johnson, wanted in Utica, N.Y., on a charge of embezzlement of more than \$100,000 from the Utica City National Bank, was betrayed in to the hands of a detective here yesterday by a woman, and taken to New York state before the local authorities were aware of what was going on.

This arrest is the reward of patience and perseverance on the part of Daniel J. Kelleher, a detective of the New York office of the American Bankers' Association, who had spent many days on the case.

Lowery was a note teller in the bank and disappeared last April while the examiner was going over the bank's books.

When the police and private detectives started to look for the missing man they had nothing on which to work, but Kelleher in time got a clue which finally led to Wilmington, Del. He learned that a woman was in correspondence with the former teller, and he spent many days in the Delaware city before he learned her address, and then kept tab on her for nearly a week. Last night his vigil was rewarded as he was standing in an alley near the woman's

house, he noticed her leave with a suitcase.

He followed her to a railroad station and into a train for Philadelphia. Confronting her, he forced her to tell Lowery's address in this city. That done, he took the woman back to Wilmington, leaving a guard to see that she would not be able to communicate with Lowery. Then he came here with another detective.

They stationed themselves near a house on North Sixteenth Street where the woman said Lowery was living and were on guard about five hours when the man wanted came out.

Stopping up to him, Kelleher told Lowery he was under arrest. Lowery was stunned for a moment but quickly recovered, and asked to be permitted to pack his suitcase. Lowery, it was said, agreed to waive all legal technicalities here and accompany his captor back to Utica without resistance. Kelleher and his prisoner were already out of the city before the local police learned of the arrest from the newspapers.

FOREST FIRES STILL RAGING

If Rain Does Not Come Soon They Will Do Great Damage in Foothills

Calgary, Alta., July 20.—John Linham of Okotoks, president of the Linham Lumber Company, was in the city today and states that although the forest fires had not yet reached the company's timber limits on Sheep Creek they were burning north and south and were working towards the timber.

"Unless rain comes shortly to check the fires," said Mr. Linham, "they will do a vast amount of damage, as when they get well started it is impossible for the men to keep them under control."

"These fires," he said, "which are generally caused through some one's carelessness, are the most harmful things against which the lumbermen and ranchers have to contend, and it would be a great boon to the country if some means could be devised to prevent their occurrence."

TO MUCH FOR RINK

Want \$20 for the Night Laurie Will Be Here

A matter which the civic committee appointed to make arrangements for the reception of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, will have to consider is the price demanded by the management of the Thistle rink for the reservation of the building on the evening of August 9th. The price they ask is \$80, which the mayor considers most exorbitant. He says that the city will not pay the amount and unless they bring the figure down some, other arrangements may be made for the evening.

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TEDDY TALKS ON BIG FIGHT

The following editorial, signed by Theodore Roosevelt, will appear in the present issue of the Outlook:

"I have always been fond of boxing, and have always believed in it as a vigorous manly pastime, one of those pastimes which have a distinct moral and physical value, because they encourage such essential virtues as courage, hardihood, endurance, and self-control. Until within a few years I used to box a good deal myself, and when I was young several times took part in contests of a public or semi-public character—generally, I

am bound to say, with ill success.

"I think boxing is a sport which should be encouraged among boys and young men generally. I have

been glad to help it in the army and navy where I believe, it has been an excellent thing for the enlisted men.

"When I was police commissioner (of New York) I was much struck by a statement made to me by Jacob Ris to the effect that the establishment of boxing clubs in many of the poorer districts had resulted in good in rather unexpected ways; that is, it had not only given the vigorous

young fellows who otherwise would join "gangs," a legitimate outlet for their activities, but had also markedly reduced the number of affrays in which the knife was used. The spirit produced by the boxing had, told against knife fighting and distinctly discouraged unfair play.

"Therefore from every standpoint, I believe in the encouragement of boxing as a sport. Moreover, boxing as a profession has its good side also. Among the men whose friendship and regard I have really valued I could name a number of professional boxers, including some ring champions. The men to whom I refer I found square, decent men, who showed themselves good citizens when their

good citizenship was tested.

I approved of the movement which in this state at the time that I was police commissioner, resulted in the enactment of a law permitting contests between professional boxers under conditions which were meant to safeguard the sport against brutality and the other evils which have everywhere resulted sooner or later in the suppression of the prize ring.

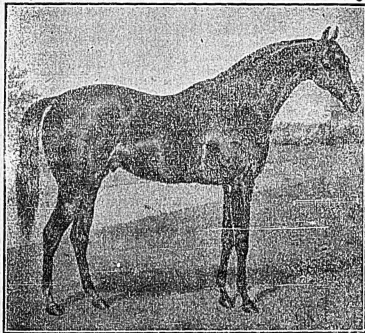
"Nevertheless, even under this law, abuses crept in, and finally one or two fights occurred where the surrounding circumstances were so scandalous that when I was governor I was obliged to advocate, and finally to secure the repeal of the law under which the contests took place, feeling convinced, together with the great majority of the citizens of the state, that under it almost all that made prize fighting objectionable and demoralizing had gradually been revived.

"Now this was my experience, the experience of a man who, so far from being prejudiced against boxing was, and is, a warm advocate of it, and who at the outset, had not the slightest prejudice against professional boxing—that is, boxing for purses or money—and who has numbered among his friends many men who were professionals, and had fought for money prizes.

"I am sure that what has happened in New York will happen in the nation at large, and that prize fighting will be, and ought to be stopped by every state in the union. Since it was stopped in New York, the conditions surrounding the ring have grown worse and not better. The money prizes fought for are enormous, and are a potent source of demoralization in themselves, while they are often so arranged as either to be a premium on crookedness or else to reward nearly as amply the man who fails as the man who succeeds.

"In addition the last contest provoked a very unfortunate display of race antagonism. I sincerely trust that public sentiment will be so aroused and will make itself so effectively felt, as to guarantee that this is the last prize fight to take place in the United States, and it would be an admirable thing if some method could be devised of putting a stop to the exhibition of the moving pictures taken thereof."

Thoroughbred Stallion



SIX SHOOTER

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

No 1036 Certificate of pure-bred Stallion, The Horse Breeders' Ordinance, N.W. Territories, Chapter 23, 1903, the pedigree of the Stallion Six Shooter, described as follows:—Breed, thoroughbred; color, brown; marks, snip on nose, two king stockings; while foaled in 1898, has been examined in the department, and I hereby certify that the said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a stud book recognized by the department. Dated at Edmonton this 10th day of June, 1910.

GEO. HARCOURT,

Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

For further particulars, address

P.O. Box 1197

EDMONTON

The Gigantic Sale

OF THE

CAMPBELL FURNITURE CO.

Empire Block Edmonton,
(Corner of First and Jasper)

Is to be continued for a short time longer. As advertised the whole stock has to be reduced by about August 1st on account of the alterations to the building which are to begin on that date.

We are therefore making

A Reduction on Everything

FROM

20 to 50 p.c.

You should be sure to take advantage of this great opportunity.

DON'T FORGET THIS

When alterations are completed we shall have the finest Show Rooms in the West.

The "Don't Need to" Theory

In a recent debate at Reno Mr. James Jeffries failed to convince Mr. Johnson.

Some seven or eight years ago Mr. Jeffries was the leading man in his line of work. Business was good and his profits were big.

Having all the money he could handle at the time, he concluded to take a rest.

To be sure he planned to get into the field again at the proper time.

But everything was rosy and there really seemed no good and sufficient reason why he should spend so many hours a day keeping his muscles lithe and strong and his wind good and his heart and nerves in trim.

Eventually the meeting with Johnson was arranged. Mr. Jeffries was still tolerably content with what he had done.

(Brother, a has-donc is about as bad as a has-been.)

Mr. Jeffries did not care to stand up in the training ring and punch and take punches. He did not see any necessity of practicing side-steps and feints and rushes.

He knew all about them. Why, seven years ago he had done all of that he ever needed to.

Mr. Johnson did not overlook the boxing and the wrestling and the clinching and the sidestepping, etc.

As a result, Mr. Jeffries received Mr. Johnson's compliments on the point of the jaw, and his business career closed.

Advertising a business is the training of that business.

Advertising keeps a business healthy.

It tones up its liver, strengthens its biceps, steadies its heart and keeps its nerves in order.

Once in a while a man decides that he is doing so much business that he can stop advertising for a while and run on momentum.

Momentum is the gradual process towards a full stop.

The momentum business is usually prematurely full-stopped by the straight left jab of the well-trained competitor who finds his opening in the fifteenth round.

If you want to stay in business stay in the advertising field.

No matter how much business you are doing, keep up the energy that makes it.

You might as well cut off your legs because you are running well in a foot race as to cut off your advertising because your business is too good.

You might as well tell the insurance man that you are so healthy you will drop the policy for a few years as to stop advertising because the orders are piling up.

"Don't need to" is the eventual preliminary to "Can't do it."

The only man who doesn't need to advertise is the man who has retired from business.

The only policy holder who doesn't need to pay his premiums is dead.

Mr. Jeffries doesn't need to train any more. He is ticked.

THE

DAILY CAPITAL

Edmonton's Brighest and Newsiest Evening Paper

A Want Ad. in the Capital will go "Hep Hunting" for you and make a thorough job of it.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

LEGAL
GAREPPE & LANDRY—Barristers, Advocates, Notaries, etc. Garpey Block, Edmonton. Expert collection department. Money to loan. Wilfrid Garepey, Hector L. Landry.

DAWSON, HYNDMAN & HYNDMAN—Advocates, Notaries, etc. Edmonton, Alta. Money to loan on real estate. Office: McDougall Bldg. H. J. Dawson, J. D. Hyndman, H. H. Hyndman.

LAVELL & ALLISON—BARRIS. Bank of Commerce Chambers, Strathcona, Alta. John K. Lavell, W. B. Allison, N. C. Will.

EMERY, NEWELL & BOLTON—Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Edmonton, Alta. E. C. Emery, C. F. Newell, S. E. Bolton.

ROBERTSON, DICKSON & MACDONALD—Barristers and Solicitors, Edmonton and Ft. Saskatchewan. Office: 13 Jasper Ave. E. Money to loan. H. H. Robertson, J. D. Dickson and J. M. Macdonald.

E. B. EDWARDS, K.C.—Barrister and Solicitor, Norwood Block, Edmonton.

STUART & McQUAD—Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. 25 Canopy Block, Edmonton. Money to loan. E. C. Stuart, K.C., E. S. McQuad.

SHORT, CROSS, BIGGAR & COWAN—Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Office: Merchants Bank Bldg. 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 1127, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1135, 1136, 1137, 1138, 1139, 1140, 1141, 1142, 1143, 1144, 1145, 1146, 1147, 1148, 1149, 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Red Deer	79	40
Calgary, clear	82	44
Lethbridge, clear	90	49
MacLeod, clear	90	49
Medicine Hat, clear	80	46
Battleford, clear	84	48
Prince Albert, cloudy	88	42
Saskatoon, clear	81	50
Swift Current, cloudy	92	48
Regina, clear	88	50
Qu'Appelle, clear	78	50
Moose Jaw, clear	89	49
Brandon, clear	94	61
Portage La Prairie, clear	95	63
Winnipeg, clear	90	60
Port Arthur, fair	73	57

About Town

Ladies, get your shoes shined at the "Bon Shoe Shine Parlor," 37 1/2 Jasper East.

The toilet inspection of clothes called for Friday has been postponed until Tuesday next. The band will parade, therefore, as usual for practice on Thursday.

It is expected that another train load of settlers will shortly arrive in this district, this time from the state of Michigan. They will be in charge of A. H. Morin.

A garden party and sale of home made cooking will be held on the lawn of J. E. Lumby, 368 Twelfth street on Friday evening by the ladies of the First Baptist church. A good programme has also been prepared, and a pleasant evening is assured all those who attend.

Mr. E. J. Ritchey, who resides at 335 Sutherland street called at the Capital Office yesterday afternoon and displayed a cauliflower of unusual size which he grew in his garden. The cauliflower measures 9 inches in diameter, 27 inches in circumference and weighs 2 1/2 lbs. It was cut on July 19th.

No trace of the body of Harry Heisel who was drowned while bathing in the Saskatchewan River last week, has been found, and the chances of recovering the body are now remote. The work of dragging the river at the scene of the accident was discontinued on the morning after it occurred and since that time no effort has been made to recover the body.

At 8:15 this evening the retail merchants' association will meet in the Board of Trade rooms for the purpose of passing by-laws of the organization and to elect representatives of the different trades on the executive committee. Members should all attend and others in the retail business are also invited most cordially to be present and join in the good work.

The little gold dredging "toy owner" by R. Harrison of Strathcona has left its moorings for a trip down river carrying tackle and machinery for the purpose of raising the steamer City of Edmonton that was stranded on a rock at Sucker Rapids, near Victoria, recently. The captain and members of the crew returned to Strathcona after the accident happened and



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have returned down river on Mr. Harrison's boat. Note the care on board the craft was injured by the water, which was quite shallow where the steamer sank.

The best shoe shine in the city at 37 1/2 Jasper East.

Mr. George Cronin, of the C. N. R. dining car department, Winnipeg, arrived in the city on Sunday, and is the guest of Harry Durham, for a few weeks.

A runaway, in which two little girls figured, occurred on Syndicate avenue near Norwood Boulevard, at about 1:45 this afternoon. One of the little girls sustained slight injuries and was taken to her home.

A more serious runaway was narrowly averted by one of the wheels coming off at an opportune moment which prevented the horse from colliding with a street car which was standing on a siding. The other car escaped unharmed.

John Keleschew and Mike Belesky, Galicians, were fined \$25 and costs, with the option of a month at hard labor, yesterday afternoon by acting Magistrate Bivers, for assaulting a policeman while in the performance of his duty. The affair took place on Monday night. Michael Gernerel, another Galician, was in a drunken condition and creating a disturbance near the corner of Syndicate Avenue as Wilson Street when the policemen happened along. While placing the man under arrest, the other two, friends of Gernerel, attacked him. The constable, however, succeeded in beating them off and retained his prisoner, who might have made his escape during the melee were it not for the fact that his condition would not permit of it. Keleschew and Belesky were arrested later. Both of them were a little intoxicated, but not enough to prevent them from knowing better. Gernerel was assessed the usual fine of \$4 and costs or 10 days.

Communications

To the Editor of the Capital, Edmonton, Alta.

Dear Sir:

The attention of the Presbytery of Edmonton, held July 8th inst., having been drawn to certain press correspondence affecting the standing of the Rev. J. E. Ducas, the committee appointed to investigate the matter have brought to the following deliverance which carries with it the endorsement of the Presbytery of Edmonton:

"The Rev. J. E. Ducas, B.A., minister of the First Baptist Church, Edmonton, is a member of over twenty years' standing in the Canadian church, has labored with marked zeal and success in different pastorates, his name is one of the most honored on the roll of Presbyterian ministers in Canada.

"Were it not for the sake of some who have no knowledge of Mr. Ducas' reputation and who might be misled by the absurd insinuations it would be superfluous for the Presbytery to testify to his ability as a preacher, his high standing in the church, and his consistent Christian conduct.

"But a malicious utterance, no matter how foolish, will sometimes work injury, and hence this Presbytery deems it wise to ask for the publication of its finding."

Signed on behalf of the Presbytery of Edmonton:

T. THOMPSON REIKIE, Presbytery Clerk, Leduc, Alta., July 19, 1910

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ENGLISHMAN SUICIDES

Threw Himself in Front of Train at Moosomin, Sask.

Moosomin, Sask., July 20.—William Routledge, a young Englishman aged 25, threw himself in front of train No. 1, being instantly killed, last night. He had been despondent for some time and had threatened to commit suicide. He had relatives in Canada.

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CATHOLIC ORDER TO ERECT SCHOOL

To Prepare Priests for Order of Oblate of Mary Immaculate in Strathcona

An institution to prepare young men for the priesthood in the order of the oblate of Mary Immaculate will be erected shortly in Strathcona on a site east of M.M. Creek and north one block from Whyte avenue.

The construction of the building would have been begun sooner but for the fact that no water could be found on the ground. Boring has been going on for several weeks and yesterday morning water was found at a depth of 200 feet.

The contract, therefore, for the carrying out of the plans made by Barnes & Gibbs of Edmonton, was let to McSparran Company, who will proceed at once.

The building will be gothic style—four stories of red pressed brick. Eighty-two feet of frontage with a wing on the north side 28 feet wide and extending east 58 feet. When required another wing will be built to the south.

A large chapel, 45 feet by 35 feet will occupy part of the ground floor as well as bedrooms and sitting rooms for the priests. The study and assembly hall will be on the first floor while in the centre will be classrooms, library and bedrooms. On the second floor will be more bedrooms, a sick ward, superintendent's room and a large linen room.

REV. LEIBERT, D.D., SEES EDMONTON

After Fifteen Years, Moravian Bishop Sees Great Changes in Our City

Fifteen years since he visited Edmonton, the Right Reverend Morris W. Leibert, D.D., of the Moravian Church, who arrived here yesterday, said that he would not recognize it as the same little place that he visited so many years ago. The Moravian church in those days was not very extensive. It had been organized in a loose way but it was not until Bishop Leibert came west that the church was fully reorganized.

At that time there were only two churches of that denomination in the province while now there are something like ten.

Bishop Leibert, who lives in New York, left that city late in June and travelling by way of Calgary, was present at the Synod of the Moravian Church held here. This Synod is held every five years, and is subordinate to the General Synod which meets in Europe every ten years.

With regard to his impressions of Edmonton fifteen years ago, the bishop said that he remembered well walking from the Saskatchewan which was then called South Edmonton down the Hay Lake trail to visit the small colony of Moravians. He strolled down the valley of the Saskatchewan, and on the way met several coyotes which also could be heard howling around the town at night.

Governor Mackintosh was the governor then and he had a long talk with him and most of the other leading officials. Strallding down Jasper avenue he met with many of the old Hudson's Bay Indians looting in their blankets in the sun.

From Edmonton, Bishop Leibert will go to Bruderheim some fifteen years ago he travelled in a farm wagon from Edmonton to the Port passing through Clover Bar, and an old Scotchman showed him a magnificent field of wheat even at that time. Fort Saskatchewan he hailed with delight as civilization and said that he had as fine a dinner at an old hotel there as one could get in any of the best restaurants in Chicago or New York.

In Saskatchewan and Alberta the Moravian Church consists of about eleven hundred persons and their property, if realized upon would be worth about \$55,000. It is the oldest Protestant church today, their original name being "Unitas Fratrum," and it was founded in 1457.

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TWIXT THE DEVIL AND THE DEEP SEA

Is Way Bouillon Describes Position of Commissioners in Regard to Pipe Tender

The city council was to have met last night but when the time arrived for the transaction of business, there were only three of the city fathers present. At half past eight the mayor called the meeting off and about fifteen seconds later Ald. Garity came running up the stairs, just too late to form a quorum.

The commissioners were to have made a report in connection with the trouble over the contract to supply concrete pipe to the city, which the Edmonton Concrete Company was to have received. The order, however, was given to the Standard Hardware and Plumbing Company. It is understood that the report is a mere statement of facts, no recommendations or suggestions being offered.

Commissioner Boulton stated to the capital last night that after looking into the matter the commissioners had come to the conclusion that there were two main assumptions at the council meeting at which the matter was discussed.

"The commissioners were between the devil and the deep blue sea," said Mr. Boulton. "There was severe work to be carried on and no pipe to do it with. The Edmonton Concrete Company were not in a position to supply and there was only one course of action and that was to order it elsewhere. There was no prejudice nor partiality. The only thing neglected was the mere formality of reporting the matter to the council. They would have had to tell the commissioners to order the pipe from another quarter."

COAL COMPANY'S ENGINEER HERE

Tells of Immense Fields of Coal Which Are in the Pembina District

Messrs. Charles Fergie, J. E. Woods, and P. Christianson, who are connected with the Pacific Pass Coal Company, which holds property consisting of 30,000 acres in the Pembina river district, are guests at the Yale Hotel. Mr. Fergie, who is the consulting engineer, in conversation with a Capital reporter, stated that the property was immensely wealthy, judging from the results of the driving of several drills. There are four large seams already discovered, ranging in width from 12 to 30 feet.

Of course, only the preliminary work is in progress, as the Grand Trunk Pacific has not reached the district yet, and may not until next summer.

The coal is a fine bituminous, not lignite as is usually found in this district. The property is full of the coal and it lies very regularly. There are only about a dozen men at work at present, but an additional number are being sent in.

The Pacific Pass Coal Company is composed mainly of Montreal capitalists although there are several other investors throughout the country who are also interested.

WILL ADMIT ALL RAILWAY LABOR

Government Decide to Raise Restrictions in Order to Help Railway Construction

Ortna, Ont., July 20.—Owing to the great scarcity of railway laborers, it has been decided to admit from all countries, except Asia, railway laborers who are uneducated, morally and physically fit, willing to work, and who are guaranteed employment by railway contractors or railway companies, irrespective of money qualifications or direct journey.

This means that for the time being railway construction men are placed in practically the same position as far as immigration regulations are concerned, as farm laborers have been in the past.

It also means that contractors in the prairie provinces and on the Pacific coast will be able to secure large numbers of Scandinavians and other first class construction men, who, under the strict interpretation of the immigration regulations might be debarred either for lack of the required \$25 or for not coming from the country of their birth or naturalization.

This alteration in the regulations is of especial importance to railway contractors, in view of the fact that operations have been considerably curtailed across the border and first class men are therefore easily available.

The Day in Strathcona

Council Meeting

The members of the Strathcona city council expressed great surprise at the meeting last evening at the decision of Judge Taylor granting the appeal of the Edmonton and Strathcona Land Syndicate against the assessment of the Mayfair sub-division, and ordering a reduction from \$77,250 to \$40,350. The council will appeal against this decision, which will be heard by the Supreme Court on June in November next.

The assessment committee recommended the abolition of the existing system of granting rebates on frontage and the reduction of the water rate. Under the system now in force, ten cents per foot is imposed to defray the cost of main extensions and a minimum rate of \$12 per annum, the frontage tax being refunded where water is used. This means that the owner of vacant lots may pay more in frontage taxes than his neighbor who has the use of his water.

The change of this water rate will require a change in the city charter and the matter was referred to the assessment sewer and water committee to consider the matter, consult with the city solicitor and report.

Disputes over rates will be the same as 1909, five per cent, for payment in October, three per cent, for November and net discount with five per cent penalty clause on 1st January, 1911, and 1st July, 1911.

Ald. Tupper presented an appeal for the changing of the nuisance ground. The present site is near a much frequented road, numbers of complaints had been sent in and he was afraid an injunction would be taken out to prevent the city from using the site. The matter was referred to the board of health.

A communication from the Strathcona Industrial Exhibition Association offering the exhibition grounds for sale and agreeing to donate \$10,000 of the cost, less accrued taxes, was referred to the parks committee.

A communication from Wilson and Herald regarding an outstanding account for preparation of plans for the new city hall, was referred to the building committee.

The city clerk was instructed to write the city of Wetaskiwin giving them information which they requested regarding the water rates imposed by the city of Strathcona.

Payment of the following accounts was authorized: W. Weeks & Co., \$42.55; Gorman, Clancy & Grimley, \$154.25; Great West Saddlery Co., \$35.00; Pacific Railway Co., \$19.84. Total, \$368.44.

It was suggested by the mayor that the council make inquiries as to the possibility of the erection of a swimming bath. There ought to be, he said, some place where young people could learn to swim, and would lessen the number of deaths by drowning in the Saskatchewan. The suggestion met with approval and the Mayor was asked to act with the city engineer in the matter.

KILLED BY ENGINE

Beaneville, Que., July 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gregoire and the former's brother, Mr. Dolp Gregoire, while returning to their home on a hand car, were struck and killed by a Quebec Central Railway locomotive.

No Inducement

Kathryn—Have you read Dr. Eliot's "five feet of books" yet? Mayme—No; I've been told that very few of them have a happy ending.—Chicago Tribune.

MUSIC EXAMINATION.

The following pupils of Mr. V. A. Barford successfully passed the piano-forte examination of the Toronto Conservatory of Music: Intermediate: Edna Fowler. Juniors: Marjorie Poucher. Primary: Edith Protheroe, Edith Pouch, Edna Matz, Lysal Smith, Jeanette Henry.

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